THIRTY YEARS OF SERVICE.

SPECIAL EXERCISES AT THE KINGS COUNTY PENITENTIARY TO-DAY.

THEY WILL COMMEMORATE THE GOOD AND LONG

Kings County Penitentiary at 2:30 o'clock this the installation of the Rev. Dr. Job as chaplain of that institution, and \$1,600 e presented to the venerable preacher as a token ect and esteem for his long and faithful of the penitentlary in August, 1866, and his career has been tilled with hundreds of interesting incidents, which, to the outside world, seem almost

the request of Samuel Booth, then Mayor of Brooklyn, began his work at the pentientiary. He first came to the city in 1854, and had been nected for many years with the work of the Fleet Methodist Episcopal Church, the Janes the Nostrand Avenue Church, the Embury arch and the Nathan Bangs Church, now known w-York Avenue Church. During the war v. Mr. Bass acted as the chaplain of the 90th New-York Volunteers, After three service in New-Orleans. Here he had of the Methodist Church until relieved by Dr Newman, the present Rishop Newman. After the at Washington, D. C. In the year 18% he re-Brooklyn, and has since been connected ell known by all philanthropic and Christian workers in the city. He is now eighty years old, and has a full beard and a heavy head of hair of Notwithstanding these indica tions of his years, however, he is a man full of has a clear, strong, sympathetic voice, and hen speaking seems scarcely more than sixty

HE TRIES TO HELP RELEASED CONVICTS. The Rev. Mr. Rass does not act alone as a misdonary to the unfortunate inmates of the penibut also is engaged constantly in works philanthropic and humanitarian nature. ets, acts as a banker for others, and in many been known to accept the burden of the that he may hear all that is said. When seen by a reporter yesterday afternoon and asked to relate few pages out of his busy and momentous life,

TYPES OF FEDERAL PRISONERS.

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The variety of this class make up a peculiar field of the country and in every part of Europe. In fact, I had a letter recently from a woman in Bulgaria, who used to be a prisoner here. I shouldn't care to advocate a term in the penitentiary as the test preliminary the look price of the county will present a "dark horse" soon. Queens County will present a "dark horse" soon. When one sees the inside of prison life one cannot but pity those who are subjected to it; and yet, as look at it, the mere confinement is nothing in comparison to the load of disgrace which the confinement heaps upon a man and the almost helpiess object that it makes of him. Many and many a man and the almost helpiess object that it makes of him. Many and many a man and the almost helpiess object that it makes of him. Many and many a man and the almost helpiess object that it makes of him. Many and many a man and the almost helpiess object that it makes of him. Many and many a man and the almost helpiess object that it makes of him. Many and many a man and the almost helpiess object that it makes of him. Many and many a man and the almost helpiess object that it makes of him. Many and many a man and the almost helpiess object that it makes of him. Many and many a man and the almost helpiess object that

LITTLE BUILDING GOING ON.

The Building Department has not been pressed for perimts for construction are being received. Of the forty-nine applications filed last week, twentythree were for brick buildings, at a total cost of \$164.000 and twenty-six were for frame structures. At a total cost of \$47.775.

THE REV. JOSEPH O'BRIEN ORDAINED.

The Rev. Joseph O'Brien was ordained yesterday Father O'Brien was ordained a deacon about a month ago at Brentwood, Long Island, and was to have the final orders at the regulation ordi-nation of St. Johns Seminary in the spring-The ceremony, however, was postponed at the candidate's own desire. Among those present at the services were the Rev. Eugene N. Porelle. S. P. M. of St. Francis de Saies Church; the Rev. W. F. Pishn of St. Brigid's Church; the Rev. William B. O'Brien of St. Paul's, a brother of the new priest, the Rev. G. W. Mundelein, and a number of seminatians. The Rev. John L. Barrett, he Bishop's secretary assisted at the services.

The functal of George Leonard Lockitt took place at his home, No. 49 South Elliott Place, yesterday morning at it o'clock. The services were conducted by the Rev. Spencer S. Roche, restor of St. Church, of which the young man was a member.

The burial was in Greenwood. Mr. Lockitt was twenty years old, and a graduate of the Boys' High School in 1891. While there he was a member of the baseball team, and often contributed elever drawings to the school paper. After he was graduated he went into the offices of Lane & Co., tea brokers in New-York, and shortly after became the bookkeeper and confidential clerk of Street, Wyches & Co. bond brokers of No. 40 Wall st., which place. bookkeeper and confidential clerk of Street, Wyches & Co., bond brokers, of No, 40 Wall-st, which place he held at the time of his death. He died, after a two weeks liness, from typhoid fever. He was an enthusiastic cyclist and a member of the Brooklyn Cycle Club. He was the only son of Alfred G. Lockitt, the grocer, of No, 550 Fulton-st. His mother, Mrs. Mary E. Lockitt, died about five months are

AFTER LUMBER TRUCKS NOW. Brooklyn trolley-cars have apparently ceased hostion to lumber carts. Yesterday they made suc-cessful attacks on two of the wagons. Car No. 20 of the Fulton-st. line bumped into a truck owned by the Waterbury Lumber Company, of Third-st. and Third-ave., at Fulton-st. and Rochester-ave. The driver was uninjured, but the truck was badly demolished. Car No. 743 of the Nassau Company smashed into a lumber truck owned by Bernard McGuire, of No. 178 Third-ave., in Marcy-ave., near Greene-ave. Christian Henzi, of No. 94 Fourteenth-

Greene-ave. Christian Henzi, of No. 3i Fourteenthst. the driver, and Dominick McNichols, of No. 1i Meserole-st., a laborer, who was riding with Henzi, were thrown to the street and hadly brulsed and shaken up. Both were attended by an ambulance surgeon and sent home. The passengers in the car were not injured.

Car No. 3.83i of the Broadway line ran into a wagon owned by Louis Steingotter, of No. 12 Thames-st., in front of No. 1.77i Broadway last evening and threw Jacob Young, of No. 248 Himrod-Bt., and Joseph Machinez, of No. 1.05) Flushing-ave., to the pavement. Both were bruised.

IN THE EASTERN DISTRICT.

as released from the Sing Sing Penitentiary after rving a term of three years for burglary. Friday evening he visited friends near his old home, at No. 53 Whipple-st, and celebrated his release by becoming intoxicated. While creating a disturbance at Tompkins and Flushing aves yesterday morning he was ordered to move on by Policeman Schindler, of the Vernon-ave police station, and upon refusing to do so was arrested. Upon being searched, his discharge papers were found. He was sent to jail for ten days.

HEAT-DRINK-TRIED SUICIDE-JAIL In the Lee Avenue Police Court yesterday Martin arraigned and held for trial on a charge of having drinking during the hot weather, and was on the verge of delirium tremens when he secured large dose of chloral, and, on going home, told his wife and three children that he was going to die. Soon after he fell unconscious and was taken to the Eastern District Hospital, where the stomach pump was applied. He was so ill in court that his case was adjourned until to-morrow morn-

FATHER MALONE'S ANNIVERSARY CELE-BRATION.

The fifty-second anniversary of the ordination regent of the State University and paster of the parish of Sts. Peter and Paul in Williamsburg, was celebrated in a quiet manner yesterday by a mass celebrated in a quiet manner yesterday by a mass and a reception in the parochial house, in South Third-st. There was no attempt at a formal af-fair, but the pastor is held in such high esteem that as he advances in years, each succeeding an-ilyersary becomes of more importance.

LONG ISLAND NEWS.

MAY HAVE RESCUED A PRISONER. MAN SAVED FROM DROWNING ON FRIDAY

Captain Fitzgerald, of the tug Harvey Temple, while passing Riker's Island on Friday night going east saw a man floating in the water. He had a life-preserver about him, and the captain, putting about, got alongside the man and pulled him on the shoes or stockings. Captain Fitzgerald took him to iams Brothers' wharf. Walter Jones, the watchhis companions. He said that as soon as the man

QUEENS COUNTY POLITICS.

handsome majority in Queens County. The list of

ort has a longing for the County Treasurer of East Rockaway, and ex-Supervisor Wood, of

The Democratic list for the Treasurership has the

Francis Brill, the ex-Town Clerk of Hempstead, who for forty years has been a worker and voter in farmers of Long Island, especially in Suffolk County, twenty such memorials, representing such institutions as Columbia and Cornell colleges, Colby Uni-

Justice Everitt M. Price, of Patchogue, yesterday

held an examination in the case of George and William Eaker, the sons of the captain of the steamer Grand Republic, who were arrested on the steamer Grand Reputsic, who was stealing a yacht, charge of horse stealing and also stealing a yacht, charge of horse stealing and also stealing a yacht.

"HARRY WILLIAMS, Royal Navy." charge of horse stealing and also states.

George is twelve years old, while his brother is three years his senior. They were accused of taking the horses of W. S. Biggs, of Patchogue, and log the horses of Babylon. George cried during the examination, while William tried to look brave. George's cries saved him, for he was released after a reprimand, but William was committed to the

While some workmen were excavating on Friday evening for the Normal School building in Jamaica they came across parts of a human skeleton in a bar-

The wheelmen of Patchogue are indignant over the finding of a large number of tacks in the road. They had been placed there evidently to puncture the tires of hieycles, and an effort is being made to find out who put the tacks in the road. The tacks were distributed from East Main-st, to the end of the village. It is said that the Patchogue wheelmen will offer a reward for the arrest of the guilty parties.

ITEMS FROM FREEPORT.

William H. Raynor, a painter, of Greenwich from Freeport. He was struck on the head by a club and knocked senseless. His silver watch was taken, but 19 62 in his pocket was not found by the highwaymen. His horse and wagon reached home, and Raynor, after regaining consciousness, followed. It is not known who the highwaymen are, as Raynor states they were masked. Willie Smith, nine years old, of Freeport, nearly lost his life while bathing in Randall & Miller's canal on Friday. He was rescued as he was sinking for the third time by E. A. Dorlon, This is Dorlon's fifteenth rescue within a few years. taken, but \$9.62 in his pocket was not found by the

A CHANGE IN THE PROGRAMME.

A change has been made in the programme for this afternoon's band concert in Prospect Park. Selection No. 8 will be, instead of a piece entitled "The Benches in the Park," a selection named "Music in the Park," with singing by the Misses Rae and Maynard.

THE NAVAL MACHINE.

CONGRESSMAN FRANCIS H. WILSON DIS-CUSSES THE MATTICE LETTER.

HE SHOWS THE WEAKNESS OF THE OPPOSI-TION TO THE POINTS IN THE CIRCULAR-

A reporter for The Tribune called upon Congres Brooklyn, at his New-York office on Friday, and had a talk with him on the letter of Ex-Chief Engineer Asa M. Mattice, entitled "Queer Doings in the Navy." Mr. Wilson said that he saw that the

SORELY NEEDED

allowing the technological institutions of the country to compete for vacant positions in the

show that the end in view, or that the way pro posed by the bill to attain it, is not commendable ose of the bill is to give the engineer:

engineers, and in the regular service alone 464 line

have 173 engineers and 714 line officers, or more than four line officers to one engineer for these fighting machines that we are now constructing in "I am simply stating a few of the facts that

than we require or too few engineers; but on this

ONE METHOD OF ATTACK.

"What may be called the educational feature of esting mode of attack.

circular letter, dated Washington, February 15 The Democratic list for the Freasurership has the names of James F. O'Brien, of Newtown; Supervisor Kaufman, of Long Island Ciry, and Chauncey of education at large should be joined to one designed to advance the fortunes of individuals or or

from 'The Steam Navy of England,' a book written by the chief engineer of the English Navy. The quotation is as follows: From the engineer officers' point of view, it is probable that this bill would be unobjectionable, but it is doubtful whether the change would, in the end, benefit either the class or the Navy at large.'

In Navy at large.'

in the American Congress in 1896. The word "bill" has been interjected into the text, etc., tc. I sympathize with you and my professional brethren in your Navy in the endeavor to better the status of the engineer officers. I sincerely hope that you may

"The quotation in question, of which the above is n garbled extract, should read as follows: Some From The Philadelphia Record.

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It was hoped that Mrs. Wilson would make a commendation of Mr. Mattice's character, qualifications and of the resiston, but, allough persistent efforts have been fraid to have the letter to have the letter published. It came out in pamphet form under the title Queer Doings in the work may were was one of enthusiastic devotion of the river of the maximum which was too poor to pay say the content of the maximum which will be provided the provided that the form of the was considered with the maximum which will be provided the maximum which will be provided the provided that the maximum which was too poor to pay say the provided that the maximum which will be provided the provided that the form of the provided that the form of the will be provided the maximum which will be provided the maximum which will be provided the maximum which will be provided the provided the provided that the form of the will be provided the maximum which will be provided the provided the provided the maximum which will be provided the provided the provided the provided that the foor of the provided

the Navy' It was given a wide circulation some three months ago, and what strikes me as remarkably strange, in view of its charges, is that no one

LINE OFFICERS ASK QUESTIONS.

"A reprint of it was published, and possibly to illustrate how far enthusiastic devotion to duty is possible in the naval service for a staff officer, and

particularly an engineer," the following was pre-fixed and sent to the naval engineers:

"The inclosed pamphlet is an exact and complete reprint of an original copy in the possession of the Line Officers' Association. It is forwarded to you for your information. The line officers of the Navy are loath to believe that you will countenance the statements made therein or approve of its publica-tion, evidently for the purpose of influencing con-gressional legislation. In order, however, that no mistake on this point may occur, you are respect-fully requested to fill out and forward to the address given the slip herewith attached:

The contents of the pamphlet by Asa M. Matthee, entitled "Queer Doings in the Navy," do meet within approved by approved by approved by the content of the c

"An evil mind might infer that this is inquisitorial; that it was an attempt to intimidate the engineers, but the charitable will doubtless see in it the hunger of an inquiring mind in search of information. ADMIRAL LUCE'S REMARK.

ship, and one of our most highly esteemed naval estate of HENRY officers, who is now enjoying a well-earned and

"In discussing a paper on naval organization a few months ago the Admiral said: The first passage that strikes me is the following. "It is from the sidered." This is one of the few indications that to get everything on shore. It is a hopeful sign o

CRITICISM OF ANNAPOLIS OBJECTED TO.

THE CASES OF TOWER AND M'ALLISTER.

Allister, both of the battle-ship Indiana, gave rise

The traditions of the Navy are already a par all of the intelligence and skill of the crew was no longer. Heneath the protective deck of

TOWERS OF THE NEW BRIDGE.

The Commissioners of the New East River Bridge have decided upon the plans and specifications of

tower 122 feet above high water.
The cost of each tower will be in the neighborhood of \$100,600. It is the intention of the Com-missioners to select an architect for the purpose

this, said:

"There are too many from bridges in America which, in the hurry and scurry of commerce, have been erected without regard for artistic design. We fully realize that the design of a suspension bridge is necessarily beautiful, and it is our purpose to give especial attention to the artistic beauties of the towers."

NOT IN HIS ELEMENT.



"When this reprint came into my possession I wrote the Secretary of the Navy for the Commodore's naval record. After carefully examining it my thoughts naturally recurred to a recent remark of Admiral Luce, a recognized authority in seamanof Admiral Luce, a recognized authority in seaman-

OFFERMAN,

Fulton and Duffield Sts., Brooklyn.

Waists.

Greatest Chance this Season.

Closing out the entire stock of soft and laundered Waists, including the celebrated Sterling, Derby, Stanley and Marquise makes, every waist guaranteed to fit perfectly. Lot 1-14c. 175 dozen Percale and Lawn Waists, dainty stripes and figures, pink, blue and black and white effects, large bishop sleeves, laundered col-lar and cuffs.

Lot 2—28c. 100 dozen Percale, Lawn and Dimity Waists, dainty pink and white and blue and white stripes, solid color, collar and cuffs.

Lot 3-39c. 76 dozen Lawn Walsts, Persian stripes and fig-ured effects, detachable collar of same material or white collar, self cuffs.

Lot 4-54c. 50 dozen Tan, Batiste, Dimity and Lawr Waists, bishop sleeves, laundered detachable col-lar, stiff cuffs.

Lot 5-73c. 50 dozen fine Lawn, Dimity and Percale Waists pink and white and blue and white stripes, als Persian effects, self or white collars, stiff cuffs.

Lot 6-96c.

25 dozen Linen Batiste Lappet Cloth and Dimity Walsts, assorted styles, all made with detachable collars, soft or stiff cuffs.

Waist Depts. 1st and 2d floors.

Separate Skirts For Immediate Wear.

200 Linen Crash Skirts, \$1.19, 200 White Duck Skirts, \$1.29, 150 Extra Quality Crash Skirts, \$1.69, 200 Extra Quality Linen Skirts, \$1.50 and \$2.49, 100 Crash Bicycle Skirts, \$2.40, 100 Black Brilliantine Skirts, \$2.68,

Ladies' Suits---

Closing Prices.

Extraordinary Values in House Wrappers.

Worth .

1.200 House Wrappers, selected colorings, no skimped sizes, but cut full three yards wide, full sleeves, deep ruffle collar, costs wholesale \$8.50 per doz, and generally retailed at \$5c., Monday, 53c. 900 Dainty, Cool, Lawn Wrap

66c. Worth

pers in very pretty colorings, full bishop sleeves, voke front with beading, three yards wide skirt cost wholesale \$11.50 per doz, and generally retails at \$1.19; Monday, 66c. Boys' Clothing Never So Cheap!

Boys' fashionable Suits, extra fine quality Galatea, warranted fast colors; blue stripes, combination collars and cuffs; 3 to 8 years; regular 85c, and 98c, grades, at 57c.
All-Wool Cassimere and Cheviot Suits, double knees and seats, 3 to 7, with sailor collars, 8 to 15, with rolling collars, were \$3.50 and \$4.50, now at \$2.49

n's and Children's Hosiery and Underwear. Men's Negligee Shirts, in soft-finished twill and cheviot cloth, also stiff collar and cuff Per-

and cheviot cloth, also stiff collar and cuff Per-calines, neat patterns, at 33c.; value 59c.

Men's fine Negligee Shirts, soft-finished bodies, with 2 collars and 1 pair cuffs, also attached stiff collars and cuffs, at 63c.; value 98c.

Men's fine Outing Shirts, the Eagle brand, non-shrinkable neck bands, in soft-finished and stiff collars and cuffs, in madras, cheviot and French flannel; all our \$1.50 and \$1.98 grades, at \$1.29.

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, also olored Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, at 29c

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Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers (all our 50c. grade), also colored French Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, at 37c.; value 79c. Men's White and Natural Worsted and Cash-mere Shirts and Drawers at 89c.; value \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Ladies' fine Swiss-Ribbed Vests, straight and shaped bodies, ribbon in neck and arms, at He.; value 10c.

value 19c.

Ladies' Swiss-Ribbed Gauze, Balbriggan and Summer Merino Vests and Pants, at 29c.; value 47c.

Ladies' and Children's Hose, also Men's Half Hose, in black and tan shades, at 11c.; value 19c.

Ladies' Fancy Brodequins, black and leather shades; also Children's Hose and Men's Half Hose, in black and tan shades, at 19c.; value 29c. and 39c.

Shoes and Oxford Ties at Summer Prices.

Lot of Ladies' Fine Kid Buttoned Shoes, value \$2.50; special Monday at \$1.48.
All our summer Oxford Ties that were \$1.50 to \$2.00, to close at 98c.
Lot of Children's and Misses' Russet Goat Shoes, were \$1.50 and \$2.00, at 98c.
Lot of Misses' Oxford Ties and small sizes of Ladies' Oxfords, at 60c.

Crockery Department.

Mason's Porcelain Lined Fruit Jars, quart size, 35c, per dozen; pint size, 35c, per doz. Closing out sale of a lot of fine White Porce-

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200 dozen Cups and Saucers, 29c, set of six.
150 doz. Fruit Saucers, 29c, per doz.
75 doz. Pie Plates, 29c, per doz.
90 doz. Tea Plates, 39c, per doz.
100 doz. Breakfast Plates, 39c, per doz.
50 doz. New Shape Soup Plates, 45c, per doz.
144 doz. pair Wash Bowls and Pitchers, 59c.

HENRY OFFERMAN.

wars the wounds inflicted will be of a mitigated nature.

The various properties of the Lee-Metford missile which are likely to affect the character of wounds produced by the "humane" bullet are its smaller size and lighter weight compared with the projectile of the Snider and the Martjni rifles.

This will result, as the limited experience gained tends to show, in a cleaner-cut wound much smaller in size, and with very little destruction of the parts of the body traversed by the bullet. The shock to the system is also diminished, and the wound is not hampered in its healing by the lodsment of the ball.

Such are the considerations from a humane point of view which have caused England, in conjunction with other nations, to adopt this modern weapon.

Ladies' Shirt Dressmaking Dept. Parisian Novelties.

Mme. Ghia, who is well known in Brooklyn as a leading designer of Ladies' Fashionable Clothes, has started for Europe in the interest of our Dressmaking dept.

Mme. Ghia was for 12 years with the leading Paris modistes, and has an intimate knowledge of that great market of the world. London and Vienna will also be visited in search of new tailor - made novelties. When she returns in the fall Brooklyn ladies may expect to see the very latest creations.

Up-to-Date Furriery.

A choice selection of early Winter Models now on exhibition. Remodelling and repairing of old Fur Garments at this season of the year at half price. Re-dyeing Sealskin Jackets a specialty. A practical furrier always in attendance to advise and estimate with customers.

The great point about Fur Garments is the desirability of their being shapely and a graceful cut which defines the lines of a good figure and is bound to give satisfaction even to the most fastidious wearer.

altered by us will be stored free of charge, and no payment is required until the garment is delivered.

N. B.-All furs bought of us or

On Monday we will show a very special bargain in Real Alaska Sealskin Collarettes, handsomely trimmed with Sacrifice Sale of Men's, Wom- Real Chinchilla, at the lowest price ever quoted for goods of such superior

Corsets. 9 dozen of the celebrated Vida Corsets, made a fine coutille, extra long waist, French gored and bias cut, insure a perfect fit; regular 83.00, at \$1.68.

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A special lot of C. P., a la Sirene, P. N. and Royal Worcester Corsets, in medium and extra long waist, drab, white and black, only odd sizes; every day price \$1.50 and \$1.75, at 196c.

Leather Belts. Leather Belts, with side pockets attached; were 49c. to 98c., to be closed out at 25c.

Silk Scarfs.

Japanese pure Silk Scarfs, 48 inches long, all colors, 10 inches wide, three rows of hemstliching; to close the lot, 27c, or 2 for 50c.

Sheer Wash Fabrics at Remarkably Low Prices to Clear.

32-in. Sheer Corded Organdies, French designs, on white grounds, at 7c yard.
32-in. Imported Novelty Dress Linens, formerly 35c to 50c, yard, reduced to 19c.
5,000 yds. Scotch Lappets, Organdie Swiss, Irish Dimity and Grass Linons; regular stock price 19c, to 29c., will close at 123c, yard.
32-in. India Organdies, latest silk styles, in black and white, and blue and white, at 123c, yard.

yard.
4.500 yds. 32-in. Persian Lawns, Dimities, Jaco-nets and Ofgandles in endless variety of styles; also in black and white, value 15c. to 19c., at 9c.

5,000 yds, of Remnants, Odds and Ends, waists and dress lengths, comprising the following: Organdies, Ginghams, 36-in. Percales, Lawns, Dimity and Swivel Silks, &c., 10c. to 19c. qualities, at 5c. yard; 19c. to 29c. qualities to go at 8c. yard. Special Linen Offers. Extra Heavy Satin Table Damask, 64 in. wide, regular value 65c., at 5te, per yd.

Extra Heavy Bleached, Pure Linen Napkins, dinner size, regular 81.65, at 81.45 doz.

Fancy Bordered Huck Towels, extra size, hemmed, pure linen, regular 25c., at 19c.

Extra Bleached Linen Toweling, 18 in. wide, regular 124sc., at 93c., at 93c.

regular 121₅₀c., at 91₅₀c. yd.

I lot White and Brown Turkish Towels, size
19.45, value 15c., at 10c. each 19.45, value 15c., at 10c. each.

1 lot White and Brown Turkish Towels, size
25-53, value 30c., at 21c. each.

HENRY OFFERMAN.

WOUNDING INSTEAD OF KILLING.

EFFECT OF THE USE OF "HUMANE" BULLETS BY THE BRITISH ARMY.

From Tit Bits

In modern warfare it is not necessary, theoretically, to kill, the object being among civilized nations to place antagoniats hors de combat. The memorable struggle between the Russians and Turks in 187 was the last occasion on which two Kreat European Powers met in conflict.

Since that time the armies of mest of the great nations have been armed with a new kind of magazine rifle. This weapon has a greatly reduced barriel calibre, besides possessing the advantage of being enabled to pour a number of shots rapidly st and a few cises of accidents which have occurred on or near rifle ranges, go to prove that in future wars the wounds indicted will be of a mitigated nature.

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Parson Jones-4t is sure to happen when I have prepared a particularly good sermon, that my congregation is small, and large when I have a poor

weapon.

A man at Aldershot, some years ago, was struck by a ricocheted bullet from the 0.303 magazine rifle at about a mile and a half from the target. The